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ACCORDING TO THE SOMALI NATIONAL NEWS AGENCY, PRESIDENT SIAD ON JUNE 9 SENT THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO IRAQI PRESIDENT SADDAM HUSSEIN:
QUOTE WE HAVE LEARNT WITH DEEP SHOCK THE SURPRISE AIR RAID BY ISRAELI WARPLANES ON YOUR COUNTRY ON SUNDAY. SUCH A BLATANT NAKED AGGRESSION IS NOT ONLY A VIOLATION OF THE TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY OF IRAQ BUT CONSTITUTES A SERIOUS BREACH OF THE NORMS AND PRINCIPLES OF INTERNATIONAL LAW. WE STRONGLY CONDEMN THIS UNWARRANTED, GRAVE AND IRRESPONSIBLE ACT AND ASSURE YOU, MR. PRESIDENT, GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF THE SISTER REPUBLIC OF IRAQ OUR FULLEST SUPPORT AND SOLIDARITY. UNQUOTE.
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